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For: COIN COUNTER AND VOUCHER
DISPENSING MACHINE AND METHOD

Examiner: M. J. Beauchaine

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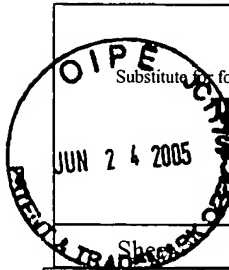
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